

MR. STANTON'S DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, May 23-1.35.—To Major General Dix, New York:—Dispatches from Maj. General Canby, dated mouth of Red river, midnight, May 15, state that Admiral Porter has just arrived. The remainder of the gunboats will arrive to-night. General Banks will probably reach Semmesport, on the Atchafalaya, to-morrow. A dispatch from Admiral Porter, dated on board the flag-ship Black Hawk, mouth of Red river, May 16, states that the portion of the squadron above the falls at Alexandria have been released from their unpleasant position, owing to the indefatigable exertion of Lieut Col. Baily, acting Engineer, 19th Army Corps, who proposed and built a tree dam of six hundred feet across the river at the lower falls, which enabled the vessels to pass in safety to the back water of the Mississippi, reaching Alexandria, and allowed them to pass over all the shoals and the obstructions, and floated by the enemy to a point of safety.

Lt. Col. Baily will be immediately nominated for promotion, for distinguished and meritorious services.

An unofficial report from Cairo, dated May 22d, states that the army and gunboats were all safe at the mouth of Red river and Semmesport.

Major General Sherman, by a dispatch dated 8.30 P. M., last night, reports that he will be ready by morning to resume his operations.—Returned veterans and regiments, he says, have more than replaced all losses and detachments.

We have no official reports since my last telegram from General Grant or General Butler. Official reports of this department show that, within eight days after the great battle of Spottsylvania Court House, many thousand veteran troops have been forwarded to General Grant. The whole army has been amply supplied with full rations of subsistence.

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